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For: WATERPROOF/BREATHABLE MOISTURE TRANSFER LINER FOR  
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants received an Office Action in the above-identified application dated June 19, 2001, and filed an Amendment in response to this Office Action on November 19, 2001. The Amendment was mailed to the U.S. Patent Office on November 19, 2001 via first class mail. A copy of this Amendment was faxed to the Patent Office on December 18, 2001.

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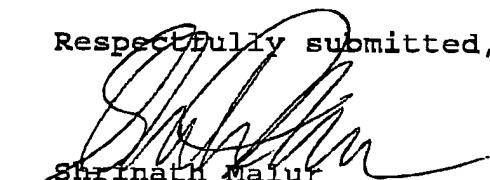
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Therefore, Applicants are faxing another copy of the originally-filed Amendment. Entry of this Amendment, as soon as possible, is hereby requested.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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